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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 6, 2007, concerning the above-referenced patent application. This response is timely filed within three months from the mailing date of the Office Action.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

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